

Qualifications . . .

LCSI was founded in 1985 by a team of top manufacturing, distribution, and consulting professionals.

Large-scale project experience and special techniques enable us to deliver high-quality, timely, and cost-effective solutions to our clients.

Fees . . .

Fees depend upon the nature and amount of work required. Payback to clients has averaged annualized profit improvement of more than 7 times the total compensation paid to LCSI.

Mission . . .

Our mission is to help our clients select and apply sound practices in the pursuit of excellence in all areas of manufacturing, distribution, and project management.

PROJECTS ?

MANAGEMENT CONTROL



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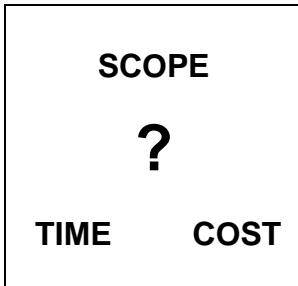
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Project Control . . .

Satisfying high expectations requires careful attention to key areas:



Scope - Executives need satisfactory project plans for quality results.

Time - Managers want timely status reporting and project completion.

Cost - Investors expect completion of projects within budget.

Options . . .

Experiment with a variety of methods until things get better.

Choose an area to focus on until a change is suggested.

Seek help in evaluating and selecting appropriate techniques.

Approach . . .

"What can be done to improve all levels of project management?"

From the structure of project tasks to the definition of dependencies, activities supporting project management can be measured and improved..

"Can things get better on their own?"

Patterns reinforced for long periods are easier to change with outside help.

"What if information requirements are constantly changing?"

With new problem-solving and meeting-management skills, flexibility is quickly introduced into formal structures.

"Do employees need to visit other facilities to learn?"

Guidance for strengthening employee problem-solving skills is more effective when offered near work locations.

"What services do executives and their employees receive?"

To ensure that our clients receive high quality services, we provide project management assistance to executives and training tailored to small groups.

Benefits . . .

Better quality - Plans and reports can be improved to provide new insight for project managers and staff.

Faster delivery - Lead-times along with cycle times for all processes can be reduced by linking key activities.

Lower cost - Plans and schedules can be managed more efficiently by integrating fundamental tasks.

Recent projects offer suggestions for near-term improvement goals:

Directed implementation of a J-I-T system to reduce overall manufacturing cycle time by 94% in less than a year.

Completed a systems selection and implementation project 10% ahead of schedule and \$500,000 under budget.

Implemented a structured sequence for production cost estimating, thereby reducing decision-making time by 80%.

Designed a new monitoring system to reduce production delays 86%, thereby improving profits by \$600,000 annually.

Restructured assembly projects to increase average output per employee more than 100% and improve on-time deliveries from 82.0% to 98.5%.